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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Yuki MIZUKAWA et al.

Application No.: 09/800,572

Filed: March 8, 2001

For: COLORING COMPOSITION, INK-JET  
INK, AND INK JET RECORDING  
METHOD

) MAIL STOP: AFTER ALLOWANCE

) Group Art Unit: 1714

) Examiner: Callie E. Shosho

) Confirmation No.: 5373

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer and the ☐ \$55.00 (2814) ☐ \$110.00 (1814) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.
- ☐ Also enclosed is/are \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.
- ☐ Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$375.00 (2801) ☐ \$750.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ☐ Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.
- ☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted \_\_, on \_\_, for which continued examination is requested.
- ☐ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least \_\_, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.
- ☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

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☒ No additional claim fee is required.

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|  | NO. OF<br>CLAIMS | HIGHEST NO.<br>OF CLAIMS<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | EXTRA<br>CLAIMS | RATE               | ADD'L<br>FEE  |
| Total Claims   | 18               | MINUS 20 =   | 0               | × \$18.00 (1202) = | \$0.00        |
| Independent Claims   | 3                | MINUS 3 =  | 0               | × \$86.00 (1201) = | 0.00          |
| If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00 (1203)             |                  |  |                 |                    |               |
| Total Claim Amendment Fee  |                  |  |                 |                    | 0.00          |
| If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee |                  |  |                 |                    |               |
| <b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>                     |                  |  |                 |                    | <b>\$0.00</b> |

☐ A total fee in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312**

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Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. Amendments to the claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins at page 2 of this paper. As well, Applicants' remarks are set forth at page 21 of this paper.